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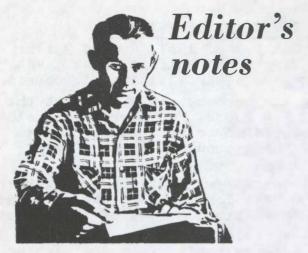
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remotely interested in ufology.

We are still under a barrage of sighting reports and this time, with the exception of some detailed, more interesting reports, we'll have to omit the customary brief summaries due to lack of space. At this time, I do not know if a special supplement will be issued to cover all the reports or make them a part of the next edition. Your ideas on this would be helpful.

We also ask that if you are doing anything special in your locale concerning ufology, such as lecturing, writing a book, a radio show, starting a publication, etc., let us know so we can use your news in our columns.

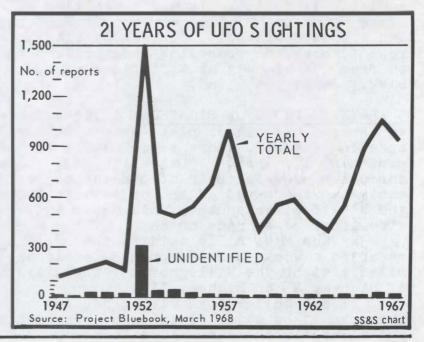
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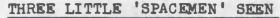
is addressed improperly.

A very unusual UFO report at Charleswood, Manitoba has been reported thoroughly by CAPRO, Canada's newest UFO club, in their bulletin just released. Their address is: P.O. Box 1316, Winnipeg 1, Manitoba, Canada.

COVER ILLUSTRATION: Artist's impression of an October 6th, 1967 incident, where Air Defense Command jets from the Oxnard Air Force Base were scrambled in tracking down UFOs. The UFOs were noticed on radar at Vandenberg Air Force Base, California. The radar tracking devices were manned by veteran operators. (Source: APRG Reporter)

There have been two oftenquoted statements from those studying the UFOs. 1) that UFO reports come to a peak every 5 years, and 2) there is a peak every 2 years when Mars comes closest to Earth. With the exception of 1952 and 1957 which were peak times, there is no validity to the 2 above statements as is easily perceived by a glance at Project book's latest statistics. A chart on worldwide activity could drastically change the U.S. report however. 1966 and 1967 were big years. the "unidentifieds" were kept at a minimum, mostly due to better observational data.





Late in October of 1967, around 9 p.m. Donald Marshal of Melfort, Sask., was walking home after visiting his cousin.

Nearing his home he saw a light at the back of his house. On approaching clo-

ser, he saw what appeared to be a square light about 12 feet off the ground and about 4 feet high and 16 feet long.

It looked as if it were a window in a much larger object, perhaps 50 feet long. There was no sound and Marshal came to within 200 feet of the object.

Suddenly a bright spotlight came on, and he saw 3 small humanoid creatures coming from the machine.

They moved very fast, were clothed in green uniforms and wore some type of headgear. The three creatures disappeared somewhere and the craft took off slowly at about 5 miles per hour. He didn't investigate the area at the time because he didn't know for sure what had become of the little men. In the morning, he found no evidence except for some broken trees. When questioned, Marshal said he is convinced he saw a UFO. (Credit: Mrs. Mary Lou Guenther, Saskatoon, Sask.)

COMMUTERS SEE BRIGHT OBJECT VANISH IN AIR - Echo Bay, Ont. Three residents enroute to their homes from the city, were startled Thursday evening to see an object with three lights appear before their car. The driver slammed on the brakes as he thought at first it was a wire. One of the passengers said it looked to her like a bomb, it was long and narrow. It went over the top of the car at close range. They rolled down the windows to get a better look but it sped out of sight in the snow storm.

The persons involved will not give their names because as one said, "No-body would believe it unless they actually saw it." The time was 5:20 p.m. and it was spotted at the Root River bridge on Highway 17 East. (Sault

Ste. Marie Star, Ont., Dec. 16, 1967)

FLYING CIGAR - On Tuesday, January 2nd, 1968, about one and a half miles west of Sintalluta, Sask., a UFO was sighted at 11:55 a.m. It crossed the C.P.R. tracks and the Trans-Canada Highway and flew out of sight in a south-easterly direction. It was travelling at an altitude of 70 to 80 feet and a speed of about 85 miles per hour. The object had a 20 to 25 foot fuselage and a rudder assembly. It was similar to a single engine aircraft but had a rounded nose, no propellor and appeared to have no wings. The UFO was sighted from the highway at a distance of about 300 yards. (Langenburg Journal, Sask., January 4, 1968)

3 PLATE-SHAPED UFOS SIGHTED - A Cavan Township family claims to have watched three plate-sized, plate-shaped pale yellow objects in a V formation speeding eastward above their home. The sighting was last Sunday at 4:50 p.m. Mar. 17, 1968. Dan Mills, 55, who says he studied the objects through a powerful pair of binoculars, as did his wife and son, Gordon, 13, estimated the speed of the objects at 450 mph and that they were about two and a half miles south of his house and a mile high. They disappeared from view after 30 seconds or so.

He and Mrs. Mills said that at 8:30 p.m. the same day a radio station reported a woman had telephoned to say she had seen similar objects some miles east of the Mills home. The Mills live on RR 10, three miles west

of Highway 28 on Highway 115.

"I'm a believer in flying saucers or whatever you wish to call such phenomena," he said, claiming he has been sighting them since the mid-1930's and always in the same Cavan Township area. (Peterbora Examiner Mar. 22/68)

THE MYSTERIOUS

The Camrose Canadian newspaper printed the photograph you see below in their August 9th edition. The path in the picture is one part of four complete circles found on the weekend of August 5th. in a pasture on the Edgar Schielke farm at Duhamel, Alberta, and gives the appearance of having been impressed by some large article sitting in the grass for a considerable period. The track varies from five to seven inches in width, and the smallest ring is 31 feet, 9 inches in diameter, while the largest varies from 34'5" to 36'3". While no reasonable explanations for the rings has been offered, the hunch of pressure is strengthened by a distinct indentation found in a piece of cowdung across the path. Several friends and neighbors have experienced interesting "phenomena"

not explained by any normal solution.



cular impressions in the turf and have a kind of tread marking on the outer rim while the larger ones are just a flattening of the grass. One ring, on a sloping piece of ground, has an elliptical shape. W.K. Allan, a physics instructor, suggested a saucer produced the rings with an anti-gravity solenoidal field by hovering at various altitudes. A report in U.S. army files on a saucer appearance in Florida showed grass roots had been destroyed on the site where the object was supposed to have landed. No radioactivity was present. Capt. Walker of the Suffield Experimental Station says they could not prove or disprove the marks as a fraud. He said, "I don't know how such perfect circles could have been made." "There was obviously a

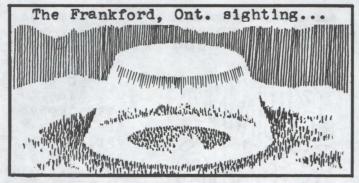
tremendous weight used."

Saucer enthusiasts have collected the names of 20 area residents who claim to have seen UFOs in the past in that area. (Continued on next page)

he added.

The smaller ones are cir-

There is no indication of burn marks and the physicist felt they are not chemical burns. They have remained visible while car tracks since their discovery in the same pasture have almost disappeared. Some of the grass in the visible tracks appears to be dead. There are no markings leading to or away from the circles. Soil samples were sent to a research station in Ottawa. Ont.



On May 31, 1967 the husband of a woman who believed she saw a UFO approach from the south with a brilliant white light, six miles from Beause-

jour, Manitoba, checked the area the next day and found burned soil.

A sample from a patch of radioactive soil near where a flying saucer is said to have hovered has been sent to the U.S. for analysis. The burnt area, 25-feet in diameter, after preliminary tests, revealed the radioactivity may be isotopic, but anything from sodium to strontium.

Ben Weibe, a farmer, $2\frac{1}{2}$ miles north of Little Morden, Man., is baffled by the appearance of a perfect 15-foot ring in a strip two inches wide, in which heat, or some other source had turned the grass brown. He found such a circle in his farmyard. He says neither henor his neighbors have noticed or seen anything unusual. The event was noticed sometime in the latter part of August.

Grant Field of Bowden, Alberta, on a recent fishing trip with Walter Pollock in the James River area, crossed a secluded corner of a field and there over a slight depression was the perfect circle where some object had rested. The circle was about 32 feet in diameter. The actual depression in the grass was about 8 inches wide. Grant examined the impression very closely and could find no logical explanation. This happened around the end of September.

And on November 19, Cedric Cunningham of Gull Lake saw a blinding ball of fire down near Swift Current Creek in Saskatchewan when he was traveling between his home in Gull Lake and Shaunavon where he works. He saw a brightly lit object hover over a field and then land. After it disappeared rapidly from sight, Cedric checked the field and reported a large, circular burned area.

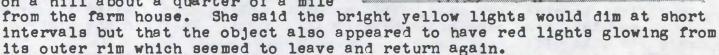
In Brandon, Man., "a bright cone of flame pointing downward" was sighted about 1:45 p.m. at several points on Sept. 28, 1967. Jim Wall of Maple Leaf Aviation Ltd., Brandon, said he saw the flame, followed by a silver object, disappear north of the airport. A maintenance man, Wilf Coates, reported the same thing to Mr. Wall. It disappeared beyond a bluff north of the airport. Mr. Wall took to the air and made a search of the area. Nine miles northeast of the airport he noticed some smoke and decided to take a look. He found a patch of bush burning in the middle of a dirt field. It didn't look like a stubble fire because the field around was all plowed under. He circled the area and saw a car driving away from the scene on a road an eighth of a mile away. The area was checked on foot and it was found that green willow trees were burned and grass in a dried up slough around the fire had been severely charred. The hottest part of the fire was in the centre of the circular area. All that remained was a white ash. The heat was extreme.

Three 23-inch perfect circles were found at Frankford, Ont., 3 years ago, the grass growing about 18 inches high on either side of the rings, each about 16 inches wide. Saucers were reported in the area at the time.

UFO SEEN ON VALLEY FARM

A UFO, the second seen north of Ottawa in 14 hours, disrupted a family's supper on Thursday, Feb. 9th. The object was spotted 3 miles south of Deep River on the farm of W.J. McCarthy. Miss Mary Mc Carthy, 65, a retired CPR wire operator said her sixteen-year-old nephew Lee Elliot, one of six children of Mrs. Dan Elliot who also live at the farm, had sighted the object from the supper table.

Miss McCarthy described it as being extremely bright and about 16 feet in diameter. It remained stationary on a hill about a quarter of a mile



"When the object was spotted at 6:43 p.m., the television set went on the blink," she added. Two older sisters, Cathy, 12 and Margaret, 13, began to draw pictures of the object. When the object disappeared about 40 minutes later, the TV reception was restored. Miss McCarthy said she would have investigated if the snowmobile was working. She telephoned police and two neighbors. The neighbors arrived to witness the spectacle but the police cruisers came after the UFO had vanished.

About 6 p.m. another UFO was reported by three OPP officers. "A brightly lighted" object was seen in the sky one mile south of Killaloe Station. Two other OPP officers near Barry's Bay reported seeing a similar object. Barry's Bay is 40 miles southwest of Deep River. (Ottawa Citizen Feb.9/68)

LAURENTIAN STUDENTS CLAIM THEY PHOTOGRAPHED 'SAUCER'



A disc-shaped "white light" was seen and photographed near Laurentian University January 23,1968, five students at the University of Sudbury College claimed.

Jim Lockett, a second-year arts student and photo editor for the university yearbook, said he and four other students were setting up a camera for night pictures of the University of Sudbury residence when the strange light appeared. They were on the golf course adjoining the campus at about 7:15 p.m. when one of the students, Jim Calarco said he saw the light coming slowly from the west. "I didn't know what it was," said Calarco. "I yelled to everyone."

The boys said the object seemed to hover over Nepahwin Lake to the west of their position for about 4 minutes.

Lockett said he had time to snap a dozen pictures with his 35mm camera using time exposure and tri-X film. Calarco then said it went away quickly, it just got smaller and smaller...phfttt! They said they didn't hear a thing. The light was about a 45-degree angle above their heads.

A spokesman at the Falconbridge Radar Station said there would be no comment from the armed forces with regards to this, or any other object. He said it was service policy not to give information on such sightings. (Sudbury Star, Jan. 24, 1968)

LINE FAILURE, NOT INVADERS, CAUSED BLACKOUT

Sunday night's power failure at Oakridge Park, affecting 200 homes, was caused by a defective underground cable said Gerry Claxton, the PUC's electrical supervisor. At least one subdivision family thought the failure was caused by three flying saucers reported flying in formation near Oakridge shortly after the lights went off. (London Free Press, Ont. Mar.5)

UFO 'LIKE BIG DILL PICKLE'

A student from Southern Alberta Institute of Technology was followed by a large, oblong craft near Three Hills. It was about as long as the diameter of the moon, the student estimated. The object, estimated to be at an altitude of 1,500 feet and $\frac{1}{4}$ mile distant had no lights, but was surrounded by a 'greenish haze'. The object followed the students car along Hwy. 2 N. until he reached the airport, when a passing jet seemed to "scare the thing away."

Another sighting was made at Hanna, northwest of Drumheller, by a machinist. He saw a saucer-shaped object with lights and portholes sitting in a field several weeks ago. The man went back to town, called two friends and the three came back to watch the object. They did not stay to

watch it take off.

Early in the new year, two boys from Greybank, near Whitehorse, Alaska, were approached by a UFO which produced considerable heat and impaired the operation of a snowmobile. (Calgary Albertan, Jan. 18, 1968)

TWO MEN REPORT PHOTOGRAPHING UFO

Two Medicine Hat men saw a UFO hovering in the sky near Nanton, Alta., during a hunting trip last November. Len LeBlanc and Dave Pritchard saw the mysterious object in the early morning hours of Nov. 11 while returning home along Highway 2.

He stopped his car at a location approximately 2 miles south of Nanton at 2:30 a.m. and attempted to capture the object on film. A bright light is shown during a 23-frame sequence of the film but Mr. LeBlanc feels uncertain as to whether this is the object in question or only a reflection

of the moon or another source of light.

He stressed that both he and Mr. Pritchard viewed the object through ten-power binoculars. The magnified view revealed one large object which was round, flanked by a small circular object below and 15 to 20 small armlike protrusions above. He said the smaller objects were very close to the main body but did not seem to be attached to it. Mr. Pritchard said the main object changed color gradually, displaying several shades of orange, blue and green. Both men said they saw a series of fluctuating lines or stripes on the large object. No sound was heard. (Medicine Hat News, Dec. 30, 1967)

MICHALAK SAYS 'BURNS ARE BACK'

Seven months ago, a Winnipeg man claimed he was burned by a UFO. Today he is in bed under a doctor's care. The burn marks have returned. He has a pattern of red welts or burns down his chest and stomach. The pattern is identical to that of the burns he says he received from a "hovering machine" late last May just north of Falcon Lake, Man. He complains of "heat coming from inside." The marks were a bright burgundy color and the third time the marks have returned. The spots show up and grow and grow and finally, they join up. Doctors don't know what is wrong with him. He said sometimes his wrists swell so much they fill the cuffs of his shirt sleeves. When the burns go away, there's no scar left and the skin returns to normal. "The heat comes from inside, drying up my mouth...just like I am breathing hot air," Mr. Michalak said. For about an area of 90 feet where the objects landed, everything is burned. (Winnipeg Free Press, Jan.16/68)

MAN WATCHES UFO'S FANTASTIC MANEUVERS

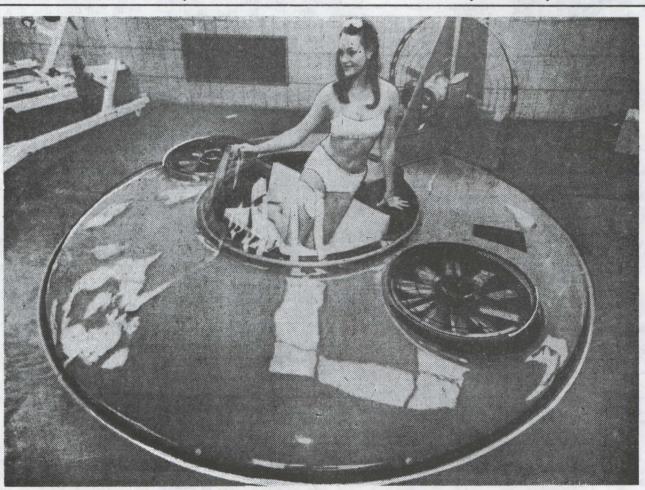
Ermis Cecconi of Powell River, B.C., watched an object from his living room window for about 5 minutes last December 31st about 7 p.m. "I noticed a light approaching over the water, " said Mr. Cecconi. "I thought at first it was an airplane, but it got bigger and bigger and it got closer and I could see that it wasn't a plane, "he said. Binoculars enabled him to observe the scene more clearly. "There seemed to be a chain of smaller lights around the main body which was pulsating as it hung motionless between Westview and Harwood." The object seemed to be as large as an airplane and was about a mile and a half over the water, about a mile high. He watched the phenomenon for about 5 minutes when it suddenly "seemed to throw down gobs of light, which disappeared as they hit the water." It shot off then at great speed toward Vancouver Island and swerved back and forth in a fantastic manner as it rapidly disappeared.

Mr. Cecconi said the outer perimeter of lights of the UFO seemed to be revolving as he watched it through binoculars. Although the lights were clearly visible, it seemed as if the object was one complete entity, with a

solid structure between the outer lights and the main light.

Cecconi said it seemed to him the object was under "some kind of intelligent control" and dismissed the suggestion that he saw either weather balloons or flares. "It was moving too fast," he said.

"The funny thing is that I had been discussing UFOs only a few days previously with some men at work and I claimed to be from Missouri when it came to believing such things. But now I'm not sure at all. Something like that can't be of this world," he said. (Powell River News, Jan. 4, 1968)



Su-Ann Anderson sits in the saucer-like air cushion vehicle which was displayed at the International Boat Show in New York City.

No Evidence be result 'Of Invasion'



DR. J. A. HYNEK . . . studies reports

By DON THOMAS [Herald Staff Writer]

Dr. J. Allen Hynek, dean of UFO experts on the continent. said here today there is no scientific evidence the earth is being visited by either creatures or vehicles from outer space.

Dr. Hynek, head of the astronomy department at Northwestern University, Illinois, and a part-time consultant for the United States Air Force's Project Blue Book dealing with UFOs, is in Calgary today to interview persons from this area who have seen UFOs.

Among those he will see today are Lorne Grovue and Warren Smith, two Calgary men who last summer photographed a UFO west of High River and later showed Dr. Hynek metallic samples from an area where they claimed "something" fell from the ob-

Dr. Hynek said he invited the two men to take liedetector tests, not because he doubts their story, but as an

THE CALGARY HERALD

expression of good faith. At his suggestion a Houston, Texas, newspaper recently had a Texas UFO sighter take a poly-graph test which proved the man a fake.

Dr. Hynek criticized those people who have an emotional belief that UFOs exist and are the vehicles of visitors from outer space. Such people can-not be bothered with evidence and are blind advocates of UFO cultism, he said.

He also criticized people who flatly deny that UFO sightings are legitimate and close their minds to available evidence. On the other hand skepticism is a healthy thing, if the reason for it is a desire to get only concrete evidence.

He said the strong suspicion of some UFO believers that there is a plot by the mass media, governments and the USAF, in particular, to cover up evidence is false. He said the files of Project Blue Book are open to any reputable scientist or writer and have several times been examined by writers

Rumors of government cover-ups are probably based on a general skepticism on the part of military personnel who don't wish to spend tax-payers' money to trace down reports which may be faked or pure imagination.

Dr. Hynek said the apparent rash of UFO sightings which often follows an isolated sightin is often due to a "metooism" factor. But often people are more candid about reporting · sightings once the subject has been broached by someone else.

He said he invites reports of sightings from anybody and will respect requests for anonymity. He can be reached by mail in care of the Northwestern University astronomy department at Evanston, Ill-

Wed., Feb. 28, 1968

UFOs may of tricks

By Bob Cohen Southam News Services

MONTREAL — Unidentified flying objects which cannot be explained naturally may exist by courtesy of the tricks man's brain can play on his vision.

Dr. Roy M. Pritchard, an associate professor of psychology at Hamilton's Mc-University, Master Tuesday man can "most emphatically not" believe what he sees because people interpret visual stimulations in different ways.

"Any visual signal is affected by what's in the brain already," he said in a session on unidentified flying objects presented here at the Canadian Aeronautics and Space Institute's annual astronautics symposium.

"We see what we need to see, what we expect to see, what we try to see. The amount of visual information we receive is so big that we must be selective (in extracting bits from it. That extraction can result in perceptual distortion.)

"The human is interpreting the outside world. He can be fooled very easily."

Human perception

Dr. Pritchard pointed out that human perception could be affected by such

factors as hunger, anger and prejudice.

Despite natural and visual tricks, there are still unexplained UFO sightings which Dr. James E. Mc-Donald of the University of Arizona's Institute of Atmospheric Physics believes can be explained most easily by assuming UFOs come from somewhere else in earth's Milky Way galaxy.

Dr. McDonald told the symposium: "Very far from being a nonsense problem, the UFO issue is one of extremely great scientific importance" of international

However, he was confronted by Phillip J. Klass. an editor of Aviation Week magazine whose own book on unidentified flying objects — UFOs Identified seeks to explain some saucer sightings in terms of such atmospheric phenomena as ball lightning and the creation of charged gaseous masses called plasmas.

Dr. Peter Millman, the internationally recognized head of the National Research Council's upper atmosphere research section in Ottawa, said his years of experience in working with telescopes, cameras and radar to study meteors had taught him that all perception systems could do funny things.

"Up to the present, I must be sold on the idea of an interplanetary phenomenon. I can't see anything in all my experience (he has been a practising researcher since 1929) to show an interplanetary visitation."

The Ottawa Citizen Wed., March 13, 1968

UFOs to be investigated

is prepared to investigagte instance.

In response to a question ports yet. by Robert Coates (PC-Cumberland), the government said the NRC has agreed to act as a repository of unclassified reports of unidentified flying objects and to carry out investigations depending on the degree of sent reports to the defence

National Research Council scientific interest in each

NRC has received no re-

The defence department says it received 167 UFO reports in 1967. Eight major investigations were carried out, the results of which are public information. RCMP investigated 13 cases and department.

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KENNETH LARSON, noted Californian UFO-

UFO LEADS MEN ON MERRY CHASE

Around Jan. 20, 1968, Ken Peterson and Bob Yung, two businessmen, were returning to Midale, Sask., at about 4 a.m., when they spotted an unfamiliar object about the size of a headlight, glowing brightly. They followed it by car across the field until it moved into a large slough. The two men continued on foot for three-quarters of a mile across snowbanks and brush. At one time they came to within 15 or 20 feet of the object and then it moved quickly and they lost ground. When it faded from view, they gave up the chase and started back for the car. Suddenly they spied it off to one side and in addition, noticed two more lights. one blue and one red, about 100 yards apart. Mr. Peterson said another Midale couple reported seeing some strange lights last summer south of Midale. Last fall, another Midale couple sighted some strange lights east of the town while they were combining in their field. (Source: Weyburn Review, Sask., Feb. 22, 1968)

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SPACE GRASS

WHOEVER THOUGHT WE'D GET IT TOO!

This is a relatively new innovation on the saucer scene for the past twenty five years or so. Fine metal foil has been falling from the skies in various parts of the world, usually without much explanation. Once in a while there have been witnesses to UFOs in the area and the tin foil was found shortly afterward littering farmers fields.

Such was the case of Nick Zurba, a Swan River. Manitoba district far-

mer who saw an object which appeared to land on his field on Sept. 28, 1967. He found a small ball of finely shredded aluminum-like material where he believed the object landed.

The material looks like finely shredded metal. It was found 40 feet from a municipal

road, near a telephone line. The foil was analyzed by the University of Manitoba's geology department. The final word was that the foil was pure aluminum.

Many sightings of UFOs were made that day in western Manitoba and eastern Saskatchewan. A meteorite shower was blamed for the sightings by the National Research Council.

Descriptions of the objects varied but most observers said they appeared to plummet towards earth and disappear. They were generally reported to be glowing red, orange, yellow or white -- and had a tail.

Charlie Auty of the Birch River Indian Reserve 40 miles northeast of Swan River, reported seeing an object with two lights, one red and the other orange. He told the Royal Canadian Mounted Police the object flew low, hovered, then disappeared behind trees.

It was not an aircraft, he said.

A Dauphin, Manitoba executive said he saw an object that appeared to be coming almost straight down looking like a silvery dart.

At Mafeking, 80 miles north of Swan River, an object "the size of a car" was reported.

The Saskatoon UFO Club reported the next three cases to SS&S.

Mitchell Sweatman saw "space grass" last summer in the ditches, trees and fences beside the high-way in the Watrous district of Sask-atchewan.

John Zuk, a member of the Club, obtained some of this foil from a farmer at Shipman, Sask.

And another farmer at Naicam, Sask., picked up about a bushel of

this substance from his field in the Fall of 1967. Joseph Schmid of North Battleford, Sask., obtained some samples from him.

The foil is very similar to Christmas tree tinsel but is much shorter in length and shredded much finer.

Mrs. Heidi Hugli of Metro Toronto told SS&S that during World War II "space grass" was gathered by the kilogram in fields and trees in Europe. One day Mrs. Hugli said she witnessed a fall of such material smoothly gliding down but didn't recall any airplanes or alarms at the time.

In all fairness we must mention that similar foil called "chaff" is used by Air Force planes to jam up radar while on special flights. This does not reveal the whole answer because there are witnesses to UFOs being seen in the sky at the time they dumped this "grass" overboard.

A spokesman for Bristol Aerospace Industries said the material "does not sound like the type of thing that would be carried aloft in a rocket experiment."

ANDROIDS

"Two great trends characterize our times. One is to mechanize humans; the other is to humanize machines. 'The ultimate' will be for the two trends to cross---for the man machine to be identical to the machine man. At that point, would God give the machine a soul?"

Richard R. Landers

Every now and then we read reports of creatures being seen emerging or in the vicinity of a landed flying saucer. These creatures invariably resemble us in many ways but some are said to move jerkily or at least differently than a human being.



Roberta the robot, helps to clean the house..

The point is...are they actually live beings or are they a complete robot, known otherwise as an 'android'? Although we know of similar stories in science fiction for a good many years, are the robots becoming a reality? It seems definitely so.

Take Roberta whose photograph appears on this page. A perfect figure of 34-28-36 with an attractive body and soft voice has been manufactured by the U.S. Magical Productions. She does the dishes, makes beds, cooks dinner and serves food. All you do is feed her a programmed tape and she is ready for work. Roberta has a computerized brain and a transistorized heart.

More advanced versions are being developed and in a few more years perhaps every home will have one to do the housework. This would leave the occupants with more leisure time in which to enjoy themselves. Roberta is not for sale yet...she is only a prototype.

Or if not an 'android', how about a 'cyborg'? This is a half-human, half mechanical creature. These may also exist one day soon when mechanical organs are replaced for live ones in human beings and providing there is an equal balance between the gadgets and human flesh.

And although not referring directly to flying saucers, Dr. John C. Lily said, "Within the next decade or two the human species will establish communications with another species: non-human, alien, possibly extraterrestrial, more probably marine..."

Steel and Science News had this to say about the 'man-machine'..."humanizing machines and mechanizing humans are cross trends that are sure to occur in the future, but the extent to which man and machine will be united is uncertain. Computers exist which can learn, remember, see, seek goals, reason, walk, sing on key, talk, be irritable, play games, grasp and are able to adapt to environments."

Yes, it's sooner than you think!

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Robert Rinker discovered this unidentified object on his negative after he shot a roll of film last March, 1967. He's a field technician at the mountain laboratory weather station situated on Chalk Mountain in Colorado. He said, "I haven't said it's a flying saucer yet." The photograph was sent to Dr. Condon's Ufology Project at the University of Colorado for analysis.

"... some time back I set up my tape recorder near our kitchen stove and set the microphone about six inches from the gas burner with gas on and burning. I ran about 15 minutes of tape at 31 speed and another 10 minutes with the microphone in the refrigerator. The sound produced by the burning gas is very interesting but on 3 occasions (gas) and one in the fridge a voice was actually picked up, loud and clear. dio and TV were both off. The ra-From the gas flame the voice says: THIS IS UFO (or a name similar to ufo) calling, UFO CALLING. This is repeated 3 times with about 3 minutes ween calls. The voice (from the fridge) is not the same and is very clear: HELLO MR. HILLUP - MR. HILL-UP. Do not know if that is how the

name is spelled, but that is how it sounds to me. There may be all kinds of sounds & things to see that exist right on the surface of Earth that are just above the human range and short of the mechanical, radio and camera range. The UFO may be among them -as well as the spirit world.

Bill Gryzik, Chicago, Illinois.

"...Do you suppose there is a possibility of getting some comments re UFOs from William Shatner? know he is very interested in the subject (as is Roy Thinnes of THE INVADERS). Perhaps a fellow Canadian might be able to get more info from Shatner, eh? On checking back through #49, noticed the Malcom Kent book. TERROR ABOVE US, is pure fiction, according to John Keel, who says that Kent (a pseudonymn) obtained information from him while he was writing the book, although Keel did not know what he was up to." Lucius Farish, Plumerville, Ark. Shatner & Thinne's story was covered in CASTLE OF FRANKEN-STEIN #11. Write: 509 5th Ave. New York City, N.Y. 10017

"...You can write up about John Searl if you wish. He now states that his "flying saucer" will be going to the Moon in May, 1968. with quite a big crew aboard ---possibly including 2 disc jockeys from the BBC program LATE NIGHT Personally, I've heard EXTRA. that Geoff Agness in Harlow, Essex and saucer contactee Gary Myers (mentioned in The Scoriton Mystery) had weird things begin to happen -- too fantastic to publish -- and now Gary is out of the UFO movement...he had a contact with some threatening entity who spoke in a metallic voice which fits in with some of the other reports in the U.S.A. of silencing, etc.

Susan Stebbing, Kent, England.

"...Received SS&S yesterday and have read every word. You are getting out a good magazine. I want to thank you for the publicity on page 12 of #50 but you left out the key word -- the name of the town (STOVER). Would appreciate it if you will run it again.

Norma Short, Stover, Mo.

No sooner said than done...see page 16 for complete address... sorry about that, chief!

"...Just returned from Chicago & the TV film with Dr. Stranges. It was absolutely tremendous! Words cannot describe it! It is being kept on a high level, and Brad & myself were with the Commander of the Air National Guard Base in Michigan...Colonel Strand. I was asked to make up a list of those that I would suggest for upcoming programs. Guess who I put down? I did put in a few points in your favor"

Joan Whritenour, St. Petersburg. Fla.

"Like I'm always saying to my wife...'trying to get me into more trouble, eh?' On the other hand, I haven't seen Chicago in years. Thanks, Joan:



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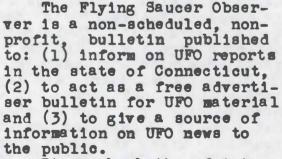
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SPACE HUMOR

The freshman had gone to sleep in English class and the professor threw a book at him. "What hit me?" he asked, startled. "That," said the professor, "was a flying Chaucer."

The Air Force still doesn't believe in flying saucers and probably their little green grewmen don't believe in the Air Force.

The reason a flying saucer doesn't stay very long is probably because it's on one of those special sevenplanet tours in 14 days.

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WHAT THEY'RE DOING & SAYING

CAPRO of Winnipeg, Manitoba is now an official Canadian affiliate of APRO in Tucson. Ariz..... The UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO has gained a 5-month extension on their UFO project and an additional \$210,000 to help..... DESMOND LESLIE is planning a campsite on his property in Ireland for Ufologists.....FRANK STRANGES will host a new 39-episode program called "Flying Saucers, Here and Now" to be produced at NBC studios in Chicago... THOMAS GANNER and DONALD JOHNSON, editor of Flying Saucer Observer have merged into one organization..... GRAY BARKER has bought JAMES MOSE-LEY'S "SAUCER NEWS". It will start with the Spring edition and sell for \$1.00 per copy.....BRAD STEIGER and JOAN WHRITENOUR have been interviewed for one of FRANK STRANGES new TV series. BRAD & JOAN are also working on another UFO magazine for AWARD. SS&S has a story and illus-



CHERINGTON

WSNY 1240, Schenectady, N.Y. also features the staff of E.P.I.C. UFO-SKY-WATCH in a weekly series of UFO broadcasts.....ALLAN VEZINA has resigned from C.A.P.I.C. Since he has found no one to take over the many responsibilities of the club, it appears C.A.P.I.C. will join the lists of the 'defunct clubs'......CAROL A. HONEY, editor of Science Publications Newsletter, based on Adamski's philosophy is discontinued with the December 1967 issue.....CBC's "THROUGH THE EYES OF TOMORROW" Sunday's at 4:30 p.m. have scheduled a special UFO for their TV show on April 14th, channel 6, Toronto

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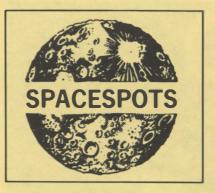
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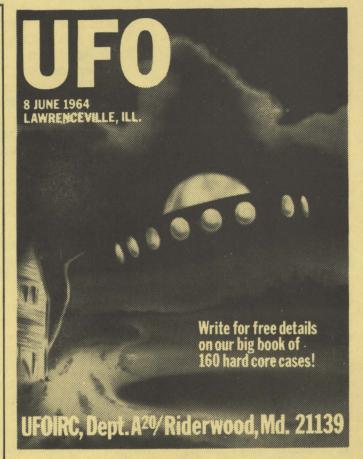
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